## Bayside Community Center Day

Presented by Councilmember Raul A. Campillo March 11, 2022

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego is recognized for its diverse population, and rich cultural heritage; and

WHEREAS, Bayside Community Center opened in 1932 in Little Italy as Bayside Settlement House under the leadership of the Sisters of Social Services and Bishop Charles Buddy of the Catholic Diocese of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, Bayside Community Center has served as a neighborhood-based nonprofit organization since 1977, is located in Linda Vista, and serves the greater San Diego area; and

WHEREAS, Bayside Community Center addresses immediate challenges of San Diegans by providing essential social services to thousands of residents annually, and advocates for long-term, systemic changes to improve the quality of life for everyone who lives in, or visits the region; and

WHEREAS, Bayside Community Center goes above and beyond to meet the needs of our people, and to improve the quality of life for San Diegans, their families, and their communities by providing education and training to community members; and

WHEREAS, the Bayside Community Center is celebrating 90 years of service to the region, and to the people of San Diego in 2022; and

WHEREAS, Bayside Community Center encourages civic engagement at every level of government, and empowers San Diegans to be agents of change and opportunity-makers in their communities; NOW, THEREFORE,

**BE IT PROCLAIMED**, by the Mayor and the Council of the City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, does hereby proclaim **March 11**, **2022**, to be **"Bayside Community Center Day"** in the City of San Diego.

11<sup>th</sup> March 2022